

Anderson Intelligencer.

The Blue Ridge Railroad.

The following bill has passed both branches of the Legislature:

A BILL TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL AID TO THE BLUE RIDGE RAILROAD COMPANY IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

Whereas, the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, by an act passed the 21st day of December, 1854, entitled "an act to authorize aid to the Blue Ridge Railroad Company in South Carolina," provided that the faith and funds of the State of South Carolina be and the same are hereby pledged to secure the punctual payment of any contracts which shall be made for borrowing money by the Blue Ridge Railroad Company in South Carolina, from any person or persons, company or companies, corporation or corporations, to any amount not exceeding one million dollars, either in the United States or Europe; and when such contracts shall be made by bond or bonds, signed by the President of the Company, under its seal, and countersigned by the Secretary or Treasurer thereof, it shall be the duty of the Comptroller-General to endorse thereon, that the faith and funds of the State are pledged to the faithful performance of said contract or contracts, as it respects the punctual payment of both the principal and interest, according to the terms of the said contract or contracts; provided that certain conditions particularly recited in section 7 of said act, be first executed, and the said Blue Ridge Railroad Company in South Carolina secures the said endorsement by a mortgage of all their property in the States of South Carolina and Tennessee, duly executed and recorded. And, whereas, the Comptroller-General of the State has not endorsed any of the bonds issued by the said Blue Ridge Railroad Company in South Carolina, under the authority of the said act; and whereas, the conditions imposed upon said endorsement by said section 7, have become impossible and injudicious, while the necessity of the completion of the road has become more urgent in the interest of the State; therefore

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same, That without reference to the said provisions and conditions, whenever any contract or contracts may be made by the President of the said Company, under its seal, and as provided by said act, and not exceeding one million of dollars, that it shall be the duty of the Comptroller-General to endorse thereon that the faith and funds of the State are pledged to the faithful performance of said contract or contracts, as respects the punctual payment both of the principal and interest, according to the terms of said contract or contracts; provided that so much of said issue as may be necessary, not exceeding \$300,000, shall be applied to the redemption of the present bond debt of said Company.

Section 2. That the faith and the funds of the State of South Carolina be, and the same are hereby pledged, to secure the punctual payment of any contracts which shall be made by the Blue Ridge Railroad Company in South Carolina, for the borrowing of money from any person or persons, corporation or corporations, to an additional amount not exceeding \$3,000,000, either in the United States or Europe, and when such contract shall be made by bond or bonds, signed by the president of the said company under its seal, and countersigned by the secretary or treasurer thereof, it shall be the duty of the Comptroller-General of this State to endorse thereon, that the faith and funds of the State of South Carolina are hereby pledged to the faithful performance of the contract or contracts, as it respects the punctual payment both of the principal and interest, according to the terms of said contract or contracts; provided that the interest to be made payable thereon shall not exceed seven per cent. per annum, in half-yearly payments. And that as soon as the Comptroller-General shall have made any such endorsement, on any such contract, the whole estate, property and funds in the States of South Carolina, Georgia, North Carolina and Tennessee, which the said company may then possess, or shall afterwards acquire, shall thenceforth stand pledged and mortgaged to the State, without any further act or deed on the part of the company, for the faithful and punctual performance on the part of said company of such contract, in priority and preference of any other debt which the said company may thereafter create or incur. And, further provided, that the said bonds or any part thereof shall not be used except upon the express condition that, upon application to the Congress of the United States or to private capitalists, the amount of \$3,000,000 in currency, or so much as may be necessary, shall be furnished in exchange, or upon the security of said bonds.

Sec. 3. That the said company shall have the right to increase the board of directors to fifteen members, of which board the Governor of the State shall be ex-officio a member; that there shall be an additional officer to be known as Vice-President, whose duty and salary shall be prescribed by the board, and that in all future meetings of the stockholders of said company, the Governor of the State is hereby authorized to represent the stock of the State, either in person or by the appointment of proxies.

Sec. 4. That the Governor of the State is hereby authorized to advance to the said company an amount not to exceed twenty thousand dollars, from the treasury of the State, in bills receivable or other currency; not otherwise appropriated, to repair and keep in working condition the said road, if such amount should be necessary in his opinion.

Aunt Susan, about seventy years of age, is "unanimous" on man. She says: "If all the men were taken off, she'd make arrangements for her funeral forthwith." She also says: "Suppose all the men were in one country, and all the women in another, with a big river between them, good gracious, what lots of poor women would be drowned?"

READ THIS, COLORED MEN.—A correspondent of the *Macon Journal and Messenger* gives the subjoined account of a speech delivered by a colored man at a Democratic barbecue, in Pulaski county, a few days ago:

Next followed a colored man by the name of Sherman, who gave, in a conversational style, a most interesting history of his trip to and stay in Liberia. He was not at all complimentary to the agents of the Colonization Society, on account of the meagre supply of provisions on the voyage. He says they were compelled to subsist for days on rations consisting of a single cracker and a pint of water; but when they reached their destination, on account of the many deaths occurring in their party, their rations were increased to three crackers per day. He said he was told by the Colonization Society that when he reached Liberia he would find a species of fruit known as the bread fruit growing in great abundance on the trees—all of which he found to be true, but neither he nor any of his party could eat it. He says the natives live on snakes, frogs, lizards, or any sort of animals they can capture and slay, but they prefer animals that have died and are in a putrid state.

He said he determined to leave as soon as he could provide himself with money to pay his passage to New York, which he soon obtained, and took ship for New York, where he felt confident of meeting many friends. After arriving in the city he made application to some men on the wharf for work, was told they did not employ negroes, and driven away, he made several other applications on the wharf, meeting in every instance unkind replies. He then made applications at two carpenter shops, from which he hardly escaped with his scalp. He returned to the wharf in despair, when he fortunately found a gentleman from Savannah, and after having to work for his food until he could get a situation, he proposed to work for him in the same way; he gave him his food, and afterwards paid the full price for his labor, which enabled him to reach Savannah, where he met with Southern friends who furnished him means to reach his old home; where he hopes to live and die, for he says the black man has no friends only in the South. He advised the black men to be peaceable and industrious, and be governed by the advice of the people of this country. That slavery at the South, in its worst form, is better for the black man than freedom at the North.

PENDLETON.—Rev. Samuel Leard, Sunday School Agent of the South Carolina Conference, writes to the *Christian Neighbor*:

Pendleton has all the native beauty and simplicity of a mountain lassie, with much of the dignity and aristocratic bearing of a low country matron. Her natural life began by drinking the sparkling rain drops of mountain showers and inhaling the pure atmosphere wafted to her nostrils from the Blue Ridge peaks and valleys. Years ago, she developed artificially into stately womanhood; and now, sitting in her graceful woods, she is bemoaning her sorrowful widowhood. Stripped of her ancient prestige by the fickleness of fortune and the desolations war, she has not much left her besides the mountain showers and life-giving atmosphere, which first gave her being and consequence, as a summer resort for the wealthy planters of the low country. Her stores, and even her residences are fast sinking into decay; and not even the presence of the Blue Ridge Railroad and the snorting of the iron horse can bring back again her material prosperity. And yet her environs are extremely beautiful, consisting as they do of stately groves, and swelling hill-tops, crowned, many of them, with beautiful residences; and in the distance the long line of sleepy, dreamy, cerulean ranges of lofty mountains. And here, almost within sight of the decaying village, rests "Fort Hill," the loved home of Carolina's most honored and revered scholar and statesman, the Hon. J. C. Calhoun. His intellectual greatness and moral purity of character sheds a halo upon every material thing with which it came in contact, and gives us another proof of the superiority of mind over matter, and establishes a strong presumption in favor of the immortality of the human soul. Close by his late residence flows the beautiful Seneca; and in the regions nearer the mountains is heard the ceaseless ripple of the still more beautiful Keowee—Toxiway—big and little East-toe and White or Jocassee Rivers. Nature spreads out before you here one of her most beautiful panoramas. The climate is unsurpassed in healthfulness, and earth yields a prolific variety of her choicest productions. This section is destined to become the loved home of teeming generations in a future day.

Ex-Governor THOMAS H. SEYMOUR.—Ex-Governor Thomas H. Seymour died at his residence, in Hartford, Conn., on Thursday evening, 3rd inst., of Typhoid Fever, aged sixty-one years. He was educated in the Middletown Military Institute, studied law and practiced the profession, and was a Representative in Congress from Connecticut from 1843 to 1845. In 1846 he went to Mexico as Major of a New England Regiment, and was promoted to be a Colonel after the battle of Chapultepec. He was elected Governor of Connecticut in 1850, and re-elected three times in succession, was Minister to Russia during President Pierce's administration, and had held other offices of honor and trust. He was much respected for his generous and social qualities, and had a large circle of friends and acquaintances throughout the country. He was a prominent member of the Masonic fraternity.

ELMIRA PRISON, NEW YORK.—All who lost friends at Elmira Prison, during the war, and who wish to get any information respecting their bodies, the chances and charges for removing, &c., can do so by addressing Mr. R. A. Harrison, of Sparta, Ga., at Elmira, N. Y. Mr. H. went North last winter to look after the bodies of friends, and goes now to remove them. At Elmira Cemetery he noticed that many, perhaps all, the Southern States are represented, and knowing, from pressing inquiries received, that many would gladly hear respecting the bodies of friends, he promises, for the sake of the bereaved, to answer all letters and inquiries which

may be sent to him at Elmira, by the 15th of October. Persons writing will please enclose a stamp to pay return postage.

All Southern papers sympathizing with the bereaved will please copy.

A child instructed in a Sabbath School, on being asked by his teacher if he could mention a place where God was not, made the following beautiful and unexpected reply—"Not in the thoughts of the wicked."

FISHER & LOWRANCE,

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HARDWARE, GROCERIES,

Carriage Materials,

PAINTS, OILS, AND GLASS,

Brinly Plows,

And other Agricultural Implements.

LEATHER BELTING,

2 to 6 inches, at 10 per cent discount from the New York list.

INDIA RUBBER,

At New York list price.

To the Merchants of the Up-Country:

WE invite special attention to the price of first-class NAILS, which we are selling lower than they have been offered here since the war.

COLUMBIA, Aug. 26, 1868. 10

Gullett's Patent Steel Brush

COTTON GIN!

COTTON ginned on this Gin sold in Charleston last season at one to two cents per pound more than the same class of cotton ginned on the ordinary Gins of the country. This statement is certified by twenty-five of the principal Factors and buyers in Charleston. Price, Six Dollars per Saw, for Cash or city acceptance. Send for a circular.

C. GRAVELEY,

No. 52 East Bay, South of Old Post Office,

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SULLIVAN, MATTISON & CO., Agents,

Anderson C. H., S. C.

Brinly's Patent Ploughs,

And a full stock of HARDWARE and AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, for sale low, wholesale and retail.

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July 15, 1868. 4

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

In Equity—Anderson.

Ex Parte the Trustees of the Estate of De La Howe In Re. Elijah Webb, Adm'r, vs. H. Darroott.—Bill to Foreclose Mortgage.

BY authority from the Court of Equity it is ordered that any creditor or creditors of the Defendant, H. Darroott, who had a lien, by judgment or otherwise, upon the land sold under decree for foreclosure in the case above stated, come in, present and prove their claims before the Commissioner on or by the 15th day of October next. Provided, however, that no such creditor proving his demands shall be entitled to his costs, unless his claim to receive payment, or part payment, be sustained.

W. W. HUMPHREYS, C.E.A.D.

Commissioner's Office,

Anderson, July 15, 1868. 4-3m

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

In Equity—Anderson.

L. O. Hammond, Adm'r, cum testamento, vs. Guyton Guyton, Elias John Earle.—Bill to administer Estate in Equity, &c.

BY an order of the Court of Equity, the creditors of S. J. Hammond, dec'd, have leave of further time, to wit: Until the first Monday in January next, to render and prove their demands before the Commissioner.

W. W. HUMPHREYS, C.E.A.D.

Commissioner's Office,

Anderson, July 15, 1868. 4-3m

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

In Equity—Anderson.

James McLees, Ex'or, Susan E. McLees, Ex'x, vs. Jonathan B. Werts, et al.—Bill for sale of Real and—

BY an order of the Court of Equity, all creditors of Robert McLees, dec'd, are required to present and prove their demands against the said intestate before the Commissioner on or by the 15th of October next, or be barred of the benefit of any decree to be pronounced in this case.

W. W. HUMPHREYS, C.E.A.D.

Commissioner's Office,

Anderson, July 15, 1868. 4-3m

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

In Equity—Anderson.

Ann W. Hammond and O. H. P. Fant vs. James L. Orr and Louisa O. Hammond.—Bill to set aside Trust Deed, Relief, &c.

BY authority from the Court of Equity all the creditors of the late S. J. Hammond, dec'd, who are willing to come in and contribute to the expenses of this suit, are required to present and prove their demands before the Commissioner on or by the 15th of October next, or be barred of any right or interest in the suit.

W. W. HUMPHREYS, C.E.A.D.

Commissioner's Office,

Anderson, July 15, 1868. 4-3m

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

In Equity—Anderson.

John W. B. Orr, Ex'r, vs. John W. Roseman, Francis M. Mullikin, et al.—Bill to ascertain true value of Land, for Relief, &c.

BY virtue of an order from the Court of Equity, all the creditors of the testator, Wm. Mullikin, are notified to present and prove their demands before the Commissioner on or by the 15th day of October next, upon pain of being barred of any benefit from the decree to be pronounced in this case.

W. W. HUMPHREYS, C.E.A.D.

Commissioner's Office,

Anderson, July 15, 1868. 4-3m

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

In Equity—Anderson.

W. W. Humphreys, Adm'r, vs. Reuben Burris, Sarah E. Doxeman, et al.—Bill to sell Lands, Marshes, Assets, &c.

BY an order of the Court of Equity, all persons having demands against the Estate of D. T. Doxeman, dec'd, are required to prove the same before the Commissioner on or by the 15th day of October next, or be barred from any benefit in the decree to be pronounced in this case.

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W. W. HUMPHREYS, C.E.A.D.

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"HERE'S YOUR PRICE!"

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, any quantity of Green and Dry HIDES, for which we will pay 10 cents per lb. for Green, and 20 cents per lb. for Dry.

WATSON & CO.

July 10, 1868. 3

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DRY GOODS,

Such as Silks, Muslins, Poplins, Brilliants, De-Laines, Alpaccas, Calicoes, a beautiful lot, at low prices. Bleached and Brown Shirtings, Sheetings, Toweling, Balmorals, Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Veils and Veiling, Linen and Paper Collars, Gents and Ladies' Gloves, Ladies and Gents' Hose, Ladies' Caps, Collars and Handkerchiefs, Gents' cotton, silk and linen Handkerchiefs, Gents' Cravats, Ladies' Trimmings, a fine assortment—Needles, Thread, Combs, Suspenders, Pocket Books, &c.

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Broad Cloths, Beavers, Cassimers, Satinets, Linen and Cotton Goods for Men and Boys' suits.

HATS! HATS!!

A fine assortment of Ladies, Misses, Gents and Boys' Hats. Our stock of Hats embraces every style and variety.

SHOES! SHOES!!

Ladies' and Misses' Shoes—a full stock of splendid goods in this line. Also, Men and Boys' Shoes—a large lot, and very cheap.

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We have on hand a good assortment of Hardware, Cutlery, Crockery and Glassware. If you need anything in this way, give us a call.

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COFFEE, SUGAR,

RICE, MOLASSES,

SALT, TEA,

SPICES, SODA,

STARCH, SOAP,

CANDLES,

PEPPER, BLACKING,

GINGER, TOBACCO,

POWDER, SHOT,

LEAD, GUN CAPS,

FACTORY YARN,

&c., &c., &c.

We expect to keep on hand, to serve our customers, a good assortment of elegant goods, at as low prices as they can be bought elsewhere. When you want goods, call on us and examine our Goods and prices before you buy. Remember our place,

Corner of Old Anderson Hotel,

AT THE SIGN OF

WATSON & CO.

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ANDERSON

FARMER'S ASSOCIATION.

PREMIUMS:

BEST ACRE OF BARLEY.—An Agricultural Work or Implement of the value of \$5.00.

BEST ACRE OF OATS.—The same premium.

BEST ACRE OF WHEAT.—A Turning Plow or Cultivator of the value of \$12.00.

BEST FIVE ACRES OF WHEAT.—An Agricultural Implement of the value of \$20.00.

The committee have under consideration premiums for Clover and Stock, which will be announced at the next quarterly meeting.

B. F. CRAYTON,

Chairman Executive Committee.

Aug. 12, 1868. 8

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JUST in store, a large lot of Varnishes, including

Coach, from \$4 to \$8 per gallon.

Copul, (Furniture,) from \$3 to \$6 per gallon.

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Oils, including refined Linseed, Pure Train, Tanners, \$1 to \$1.50 per gallon.

Lubricating, 75 cents to \$1.50 per gallon.

Besides constantly receiving fresh additions of Drugs, Medicines, &c., &c., to the already complete assortment on hand, which will be sold LOW for CASH. The public generally, when in want of anything in the Drug line, are requested to call and examine before buying.

J. J. BAKER, Druggist,

No. 3 Brick Range, Anderson, S. C.

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PUBLISHED AT THE

Capitol of South Carolina.

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JULIAN A. SELBY, Proprietor,

Columbia, S. C.

Sept 2, 1868. 11

LAURENS RAILROAD.

New Schedule.

OFFICE LAURENS RAILROAD.

Laurens C. H., S. C., April 29, 1868.

ON and after Tuesday, 12th May next, the trains on this road will commence running to return on same day—to connect with up and down trains on Greenville and Columbia Railroad at Helena; leaving Laurens at 5 a. m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and leaving Helena at 11 p. m. on same days.

J. T. BOWERS, Supt.

May 6, 1868. 46

NOTICE.

THE undersigned have constantly on hand at their Kiln, in Laurens District, a good supply of unseasoned LIME, which will be sold as cheaply as it can be bought elsewhere. The Quarry is four miles east of Free Bridge on Saluda River, and about ten miles southeast of Erwin's bridge.

FEATHERSTON & MASTERS,

Brewerton, S. C.

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J. J. Baker,

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Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals,

Paints, Oils, Glass, Putty, Varnishes,

Dye Stuffs, &c., &c.,

Which he respectfully invites customers, friends and the public generally, to examine before purchasing elsewhere. Call and see, and with a complete assortment, and low figures, you can save time and money by buying here.

Jan 22, 1868. 21

Look Here! Look Here!

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HAS just returned from market, and now defies any other man to sell Goods cheaper than he can. He has the

Finest and Cheapest

STOCK OF GOODS

Ever brought to this place, and as proof of the assertion he will sell

alicoes from 15 to 20 cents,

Muslins " 20 " 50 "

Jaconets " 25 " 50 "

Ladies' Hats \$1.00 to \$2.00,

Hoop Skirts, 75 cents to \$1.00,

And everything the heart can desire, and the eye can see, in like proportion. Neither was the masculine gender forgotten, for he has goods for them alarmingly cheap, such as

Ready Made Pants from \$1.75 to \$3.00,

Ready Made Coats from \$3.50 to \$7.00,

Men and Boys' Hats from 75 to \$2.00,

cottonade at 20 cents,

Ladies' and Gents' Shoes from \$125 to \$250.

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